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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1867.

The Fenian Obsequies in Philadelphia. At a meeting of all the divisions of the Fenian Societies, held a few days since, it was unanimously agreed that on the first of the new year the organizations in our city should have a grand parade.

While, however, we commend the respect thus intended to be shown, we most earnestly condemn the use to which the occasion will be put. The exhibition of respect for the dead is, we anticipate, only the ostensible object of the demonstration.

DEATH OF REAR-ADMIRAL PALMER.—All of our citizens will learn with sincere regret that Rear-Admiral James S. Palmer died on the 7th inst., of yellow fever, at St. Thomas.

THE FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT IN New York yesterday, an account of which we have already given in THE EVENING TELEGRAPH, should at last arouse the authorities to the dangers of tenement houses.

ADVICES FROM SOUTH CAROLINA indicate that sufficient votes have been cast to secure a convention. This was the most doubtful of all of the Southern States, and taken in connection with the assurance of Congress that reconstruction shall never go backward, is a harbinger of the peaceful and thorough reorganization of the South at an early day.

We are glad to see that General Grant has withdrawn his recommendation of the contemplated increase of twenty per cent. in the salaries of the Department clerks.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

Kansas and its Products—Sheep Husbandry—Woolen Factories—Wheat—The Limestone Formations—Corn the Great Crop of the West—Miscellaneous Farm Products—Farming Interests versus Speculation.

LAWRENCE, Kansas, Dec. 12, 1867.—I have spoken somewhat at length in my former letters of the adaptiveness of Kansas to stock-raising and dairy purposes.

When Kansas was first settled it was the general impression among the early immigrants that winter wheat could not be successfully cultivated here, but that notion has long since been exploded, and the men who are getting rich the fastest here are the farmers who for a series of years have turned their attention to the growing of winter wheat.

Corn is the natural product of the West. It is the great staple. With a good crop of corn the Western farmer feels safe and contented.

I have rode through a Kansas cornfield in September, on a tall horse, and found the stalks still towering above me, while the ears were just in fair picking distance.

OFFICE OF THE MANUFACTURERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 31 WALNUT STREET.

THE BANK OF NORTH AMERICA. The Directors have this day declared a dividend of SIXTY-NINE CENTS per share, as of July 1 last.

ALL LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, young and old, desirous of having their hair look beautiful during the Holidays, should get a bottle of CHERRY BLOSSOM HAIR RESTORER.

WIGGANS' PATENT STEAM GENERATOR is cheap, compact, economical in use, and ABSOLUTELY SAFE FROM ANY POSSIBILITY OF EXPLOSION.

statement. With good culture the farmer is tolerably sure of from fifty to seventy-five bushels per acre, and one hundred bushels are not rare.

THE GREAT TROUBLE in Kansas, as elsewhere in our country, seems to be the growing disinclination of so many people to be contented with the moderate gains and placid experience of a farmer's life.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OFFICERS WHO HAVE RETURNED from the war to lay their laurels at the feet of the ladies, and to perform the duties of the "Night-Blooming Cereus," a few drops of the perfume will drive off the odor of the gun-powder acquired amid the smoke of battle.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING. JOY COE & CO., Agents for the "Telegraph" and Newspaper Press of the whole country, have REMOVED FROM FIFTH AND CHESTNUT STREETS TO No. 148, SIXTH STREET, second door above WALNUT.

THE LECTURE OF THE SEASON. R. BROCKETT MATHEWS, OF BALTIMORE, WILL DELIVER HIS GREAT LECTURE, "THE FAR WEST" AND THE PACIFIC RAILROADS, AT HORTICULTURAL HALL, TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 17, 1867.

A FAIR FOR THE SALE OF USEFUL AND FANCY ARTICLES, will be held in the Lecture Room of the FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, GERMAN STREET, BELOW THIRD, REV. A. CULVER, Pastor, commencing on TUESDAY, December 17, and continuing for ONE WEEK.

LADIES' FAIR.—A FAIR FOR THE SALE OF USEFUL AND FANCY ARTICLES, in aid of the ALEXANDER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, will be held in the New Church Building, N. E. corner of NINETEENTH and GREEN STREETS, commencing on MONDAY, December 16, at 9 o'clock P. M., and continuing during the week.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, DECEMBER 12, 1867. SPECIAL NOTICE.—The attention of the citizens of Philadelphia is especially called to the following section of an Ordinance relating to Public Nuisances.

OFFICE CENTRAL PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY, No. 54 WILLIAM STREET, New York.

THE COMPANIES OF THE First Mortgage Bonds of the Central Pacific Railroad Company, due Jan. 1, 1868, will be paid in full on gold coin, and after that date, at the Banking House of FISK & HATCH.

OFFICE OF THE MANUFACTURERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 31 WALNUT STREET. The Annual Meeting of the C. P. R. Co. of Manufacturers' Insurance Company, and election of ten Directors for the ensuing year will be held at this office on MONDAY, January 6, 1868, between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock P. M.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—Stated Meeting and Display T. H. 18 EVENING.

THE PALMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL BANK, PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1, 1867. The Annual Election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House of W. H. HUNTER, on the 8th day of January next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 2 o'clock P. M.

UNION NATIONAL BANK.—The Annual Election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House of W. H. HUNTER, on the 8th day of January next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 2 o'clock P. M.

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SPECIAL NOTICES. UNION BAPTIST FAIR, AT CONCERT HALL, Will Continue Open Until FRIDAY NIGHT, DEC. 20. [12 16 46]

REDUCTION IN PRICE OF STOCK & CO'S and Haines Bro's PIANOS, MELODEONS, Etc., to suit the times. 12 12 im

ALL CAN HAVE BEAUTIFUL HAIR. LONDON HAIR COLOR, NOT LONDON HAIR COLOR, A LONDON HAIR COLOR, DYE, LONDON HAIR COLOR, NOT LONDON HAIR COLOR, A LONDON HAIR COLOR, DYE.

J. E. GOULD OFFERS FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, STECK & CO'S PIANOS, HAINES BROS' PIANOS, AND HAINES & HAINES' CABINET ORGANS.

UNIVERSAL EXPOSITION, Paris, 1867.—STEINWAY & SONS TRIUMPHANT. Having been awarded the First Grand Gold Medal for an American Grand, Square and Upright Piano, by the unanimous verdict of the International Jury.

COMPLETE VICTORY AT THE PARIS EXPOSITION, 1867.—Chickering's Pianos Triumphant! having received from the Emperor "The Legion of Honor," being the highest Prize awarded at the Exposition, and in addition The First Grand Gold Medal of Merit from the International Jury.

LEWIS LADOMUS & CO., Diamond Dealers & Jewelers, No. 802 CHESTNUT STREET, WATCHES, JEWELRY, SILVERWARE.

HOLIDAY GOODS. WALNUT TABLES, BEDSTEPS, BUREAUX, BOYS' POOL TABLES, SLEDS, IRON AND TIN TOYS, WALNUT CARVING, BOY-BLACKING TABLES, SKATES, CUTLERY, And a general variety of USEFUL ARTICLES in Britannia, Tin Iron, and Wooden Ware, at B. A. WILDMAN'S House-Furnishing Dept., 626 (uth) Sp. No. 1011 SPRING GARDEN STREET.

FOR SALE, IN LOTS OF FROM \$1000 TO \$10,000, \$50,000. Of the Capital Stock of a Company for Manufacturing ARTICLES OF PRIME NECESSITY AND LARGE CONSUMPTION.

JAMES W. QUEEN & CO., No. 92 CHESTNUT STREET. A fresh supply, with new sets of diagrams, just received. No more interesting or useful article than tracing a principle in optics can be had for the young.

1867. HOLIDAY GIFTS! HOLIDAY GIFTS! BAILEY & CO., No. 819 CHESTNUT STREET, Call especial attention to the following announcement for the Holidays of the present year.

BAILEY & CO., Diamond Dealers and Importers of Precious Stones, Make a Specialty of the Importation and Manufacture of FINE ETRUSCAN, BYZANTINE, PARISIAN, VENETIAN, AUSTRIAN, ROMAN, AMERICAN, JEWELRY.

THE FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT EMBRACES A HOST OF NOVELTIES. PARLOR AND MANTEL ORNAMENTS, FINE CLOCKS AND BRONZES, FLOWER STANDS, VIENNA BRONZES, CARD STANDS, PORTEMONNAIES, FINE LEATHER GOODS, SKATE BAGS, FANS, MEERSCHAUM PIPES, ETC. ETC. ETC. This Stock is the Finest Ever Imported by us. BAILEY & CO., No. 819 CHESTNUT STREET, IMPORTERS OF THE FINEST GRADES OF WATCHES. (MODERATE PRICES.)

WHITE ALMERIA GRAPES, JAMES E. CALDWELL & CO., MERCHANT JEWELERS, No. 822 CHESTNUT STREET, ARE NOW OPENING VIENNA FANCY GOODS, PARIS FANCY GOODS, DECORATED PORCELAINS, FLOWER STANDS, ENTIRELY NEW DESIGNS, Mounted in Bronze, Gilt, and Carved Wood, PARIS JET JEWELRY. (12 15 (uth) sp.) HAUTFORD STEAM BOILER INSPECTION AND INSURANCE CO. CAPITAL \$500,000. Issues Policies of Insurance, after a careful inspection of the Boilers, covering all loss or damage to Boilers, Buildings, and Machinery arising from STEAM BOILER EXPLOSIONS.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF HOLDERS OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES, who may wish to convert them into the FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS OF THE Union Pacific Railroad Co., No. 26 SOUTH THIRD STREET. We would to-day give these bonds and pay a difference of \$2000, taking in exchange U. S. 6's of 1861.

SPECIAL NOTICE. The Subscriber offers his ENTIRE STOCK OF USEFUL HOUSE-FURNISHING AND FANCY GOODS AT GREAT SACRIFICE, TO CLOSE BUSINESS BY JANUARY 1. FIXTURES FOR SALE. WILLIAM YARNALL, No. 122 1/2 CHESTNUT STREET, 12 16 imrp Southeast corner of Thirteenth.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS. ZOETROPE. A fresh supply, with new sets of diagrams, just received. No more interesting or useful article than tracing a principle in optics can be had for the young. JAMES W. QUEEN & CO., No. 92 CHESTNUT STREET. STORE TO LET AND FIXTURES FOR SALE, on Market Street. A large Wholesale Book and Shoe House, intending to change their business on the first of January next, will rent their store, and transfer about \$100,000 worth of good trade. A part or all of the stock will be disposed of if the parties desire.